

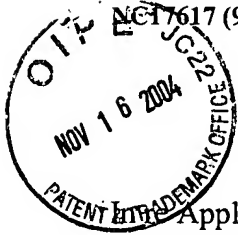
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COMMUNICATION SYSTEM EXHIBITING TIME-VARYING  
COMMUNICATION CONDITIONS  
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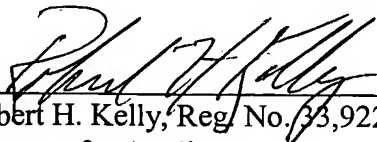
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Inventor: Jan Olivier  
Title: **Apparatus, and Associated Method, for Communication System Exhibiting Time-Varying Communication Conditions**

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